X. A copy each (in English and Hindi) of the following Notifications of the Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions (Department of Personnel and Training), under sub-section (2) of section 3 of the All India Services Act, 1951:—

(1) G.S.R. No. 39(E), dated 1-2-1990 publishing the Indian Administrative Service (Appointment by Competitive Examination) Amendment Regulations, 1990.

(2) G.S.R. No. 40(E), dated 1-2-90 publishing the Indian Police Service (Appointment by Competitive Examination) Amendment Regulations, 1990.

(3) G.S.R. No. 86(E) dated 21-2-1990 publishing the Indian Administrative Service (Appointment by Competitive Examination) Second Amendment Regulations, 1990.

(4) G.S.R. No. 87(E), dated 21-2-1990 publishing the Indian Police Service (Appointment by Competitive Examination) Second Amendment Regulations, 1990.

[Placed in Library. For (1) to (4) *See* No. LT-536/90].

Notification of the Ministry of Defence

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF DEFENCE (DR. RAJA RAMANNA): Madam, I lay on the Table a copy each (in English and Hindi) of the following Notifications of the Ministry of Defence under section 13 of the National Cadet Corps Act, 1948:—

(i) S.R.O. No. 346 dated 16-12-89 publishing the National Cadet Corps (Girls Division) (Amendment) Rules, 1989.

(ii) S.R.O. No. 350 dated 30.12.1989 publishing the National Cadet Corp. (Amendment) Rules, 1989.

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RE. INCREASING KILLINGS IN PUNJAB

SHRI PAWAN KUMAR BANSAL (Punjab): Madam, we should like to have a statement from the Government as to what is happening in Punjab. (*Interruptions*)

THE DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: One minute. Let me hear him. Mr. Kulkarni, I will hear you after this.

SHRI PAWAN KUMAR BANSAL: Madam, thirty people have been killed in several incidents in Punjab yesterday. It is a very serious matter. Every day, the number of people being killed in Punjab is rising. The Government is sleeping over the matter. It just closes its eyes. We would like to have from the Government a statement as to what has happened in Punjab yesterday and what action the Government proposes to take. Madam, in fact, it betrays the knowledge of the Government when it says that the situation is improving in Punjab. We would like to have a broad statement from the Minister covering all the incidents that have taken place in Punjab during the last fifteen days. (*Interruptions*).

THE DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: A special mentioned is already listed in the name of Mr. Ahluwalia.

SHRI SURESH KALMADI (Maharashtra): This is not a special mention. Thirty people have been killed. There must be a statement today itself. A special mention will not do. It is a very very serious matter (*Interruptions*).

THE DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: The Minister for Parliamentary Affairs is here. He will ask the Government and inform the House.

SHRI SURESH KALMADI: We want to answer from the Government, we want a statement from the Government, today itself. (*Interruptions*).

SHRI HARVENDRA SINGH HANSPAL (Punjab): Madam, they just don't bother. What is going on there? (*Interruptions*).

THE MINISTER FOR INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING AND PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS (SHRI P. UPENDRA): Madam, we are taking up Punjab. (*Interruptions*) .

SHRI SURESH KALMADI: This Government is taking the matter so casually.

SHRI ANAND SHARMA (Himachal Pradesh): It is a very serious matter. We must have a statement on it. (*Interruptions*).

SHRI P. UPENDRA: The Home Minister is away. The Home Minister has gone to Punjab today. (*Interruptions*). Please listen. You have made a point and ...(*Interruptions*).

THE DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: Please listen to him. Then you can react.

SHRI P. UPENDRA: What I wanted to say is, the Home Minister has gone to Punjab today and is returning this evening. In the meanwhile ... (*Interruptions*) ... Punjab discussion will also start. Tomorrow he can make the statement. (*Interruptions*).

THE DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: If you did not hear, he said that the Home Minister has gone to Punjab and he can only tell you about it on his return.

SHRI SURESH KALMADI: Madam, I want to know whether they will appoint a Minister for Punjab also, a special Minister like for Kashmir? (*Interruptions*) ...Shri I. K. Gujral's name ... (*Interruptions*)...Minister in charge of Punjab. Is there any move?

THE MINISTER OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS (SHRI I. K. GUJRAL): Madam, there are two ways of dealing with the subject.

SHRI I. K. GUJRAL: The Home Minister has gone to Punjab today and he is returning this evening. Tomorrow he will make a statement in the House.... (*Interruptions*)...

THE DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: He said that the Home Minister has gone to Punjab. Only when he returns, he can inform the House.

SHRI I. K. GUJRAL: There are two ways to deal with the matter. One is, the Minister should come here and make a factual statement on what our hon. Members have been reading in the newspapers. The Home Minister being a very responsible Minister has gone to the site. He is holding an inquiry and will come back and make a statement.

THE DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: Satisfied? That matter is over now.... (*Interruptions*)...

SHRI HARVENDRA SINGH HANSPAL: देखिये, होम मिनिस्टर वहां जायें और आकर स्टेटमेंट दें और वहां की फैक्चुअल पोजिशन बतायें तो इससे मामला हल होने वाला नहीं है । गवर्नमेंट इज स्लीपिंग ओवर द मेटर (व्यवधान)

THE DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: The Minister has said the Government's view. The Home Minister has gone there, he will come and make a statement...(*Interruptions*)...Let me go ahead with the business...(*Interruptions*)...You just now don't ask. When the time comes, you ask questions.

श्री हरवेन्द्र सिंह हंसपाल : इससे काम चलने वाला नहीं है । गवर्नमेंट की पालिसी क्या है हम यह जानना चाहते हैं । वह यह बताये (व्यवधान)